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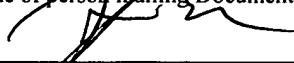
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1. Specification of 15 pages including 3 pages (pp. 13-15) of claims
2. 1 page Abstract (page 16)
3. 4 sheets of Formal Drawings
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